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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Application Number	09/820,843	
Confirmation Number	7045	
Filing Date	March 30, 2001	
First Named Inventor	Samir Kumar BRAHMACHARI	
Group Art Unit	1631	
Examiner Name	Carolyn L. SMITH	
Matter Number	Q63915	
A COMPUTATIONAL METHOD FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF CANDIDATE		

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.  1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114  a.  Previously submitted i.  Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
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2. MISCELLANEOUS  a.   Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months  b.   Other
3. FEES  A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.
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## PATENT APPLICATION

## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)

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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2005. A petition for a 2-month extension of time is being submitted herewith along with payment of the required fee, making this Amendment due on or before September 6, 2005 (September 4, 2005 being a Sunday and September 5, 2005 being Labor Day). Please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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